GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:314
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2016
Setting up of Schools on Archival Studies
Dwivedi Shri Harish

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise and location-wise names of Schools of Archival Studies currently running in the country;

(b) whether the Government proposes to set up more such Schools in various States of the country;

(c) if so, the location-wise and State-wise details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE, CULTURE AND TOURISM (INDEPENDENT HARGE)
(DR. MAHESH SHARMA)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. â€ *314 FOR ANSWER ON 8TH AUGUST, 2016 REGARDING SETTING UP OF SCHOOLS ON ARCHIVAL STUDIES BY SHRI HARISH CHANDRA ALIAS HARISH DWIVEDI

(a) National Archives of India has a training division named 'School of Archival Studies' that imparts training on various aspects of Archives Administration and Records Management. School of Archival Studies of National Archives of India does not have any other branch in the country. Ministry of Culture or the National Archives of India does not collect information in regard to the State-wise and place-wise names of Schools of Archival Studies, if any, currently running in the country.

(b) There is no such proposal under consideration of National Archives of India, Ministry of Culture.

(c) Not applicable in view of (b) above.

(d) Most of the State Governments have their own State Archives and if they so decide, they can set up School of Archival Studies in their States.